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2818

Applicant(s): Joseph F. Brooks et al.

Invention: ELECTRODE STRUCTURES AND METHOD TO FORM ELECTRODE STRUCTURES  
THAT MINIMIZE ELECTRODE WORK FUNCTION VARIATION**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated July 25, 2007, finally rejecting claims 21-29, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.